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BUREAU OF THE MINT.

Washington, D. C.,

April 6th, 1888

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Superintendent, U.S. Mint,

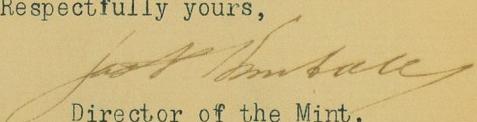
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Respectfully yours,

  
James A. Garfield  
Director of the Mint.

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